

Table 2
Department of Justice Objection Letters as a Percent of Chapter 5 Submissions
1980-2012

Year	Rate of DOJ Objections Per Chapter 5 Submissions	Rate of DOJ Objection Letters Not Withdrawn or Reversed Per Chapter 5 Submissions
1980	0.91%	0.82%
1981	0.28%	0.28%
1982	0.64%	0.64%
1983	0.35%	0.35%
1984	0.15%	0.15%
1985	0.44%	0.44%
1986	0.29%	0.29%
1987	0.14%	0.14%
1988	0.46%	0.46%
1989	0.48%	0.48%
1990	0.38%	0.31%
1991	0.52%	0.46%
1992	1.52%	1.45%
1993	0.65%	0.65%
1994	0.72%	0.66%
1995	0.24%	0.24%
1996	0.05%	0.05%
1997	0.07%	0.00%
1998	0.13%	0.00%
1999	0.07%	0.07%
2000	0.06%	0.06%
2001	0.11%	0.11%
2002	0.09%	0.09%
2003	0.00%	0.00%
2004	0.00%	0.00%
2005	0.00%	0.00%
2006	0.03%	0.03%
2007	0.00%	0.00%
2008	0.04%	0.04%
2009	0.05%	0.05%
2010	0.10%	0.10%
2011	0.00%	0.00%
2012	0.19%	0.19%

Source: Information Provided by the U.S. Department of Justice to the Office of the Attorney General of Texas on March 7, 2014